January, 1996 from the residents of South Extension, New Delhi, regarding installation of a high powered generator set by Zee Television on the roof top, thereby causing noise and air pollution problems. To control pollution from diesel generators, standards for stack height and noise for different capacities of diesel generators have been notified under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. These standards are enforced by the Delhi Pollution Control Committee in respect of Diesel Generator Sets installed in Delhi. The complaint has been forwarded to Delhi Pollution Control Committee who have initiated appropriate action in the matter.

Proposal to develop Kandla Port

594. SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHANKER DAVE: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the proposal to develop Kandla Port in the private sector has been received by the Union Government;

(b) if so, the salient features thereof;

(c) the amount likely to be spent thereon alongwith the period of its completion and the purpose for which it is likely to be used;

(d) whether similar proposal for other ports in Gujarat has also been received by Government; and

(e) if so, the details of each such port in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI M. RAJASEKARA MURTHY): (a) to (c) A proposal for development of container handling facilities for handling containers at Kandla Port through private sector participation has been received. The estimated cost of the project is around Rs. 65 crores and the project period is 18 months. The proposed facilities will enable the port to handle the containers from ship to stackyard. In addition, Kandla Port have given advertisement for construction of 9th & 10th general cargo berths in the private sector and necessary processes have started.

(d) and (e) No, Sir. The other ports in Gujarat being minor Ports, the responsibilities for their development lies with the State Government.

Fake currency notes

595. SHRI SANJAY DALMIA:
SHRI ISH DUTT YADAV:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(á) whether Government are aware of the incidents of proper action of fake Notes from the soiled mutilated Currency Notes;

(b) whether Government have detected the persons involved in this business; and

(c) if so, the measures proposed to be taken by Government to stop this business?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS: (PROF. M. KAMSON): (a) to (c) 'Police' and 'Public Order' are State subjects. Hence the registration, detection and prevention of crimes is primarily the responsibility of State Government/UT Administrations.

वनरोपण पर खर्च की गई धनराशि

596. श्री दिलीप सिंह जूदेव: क्या पर्यावरण और वन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) देश में वनरोपण और अपक्षीणित वनों के विकास से संबंधित कार्यक्रमों पर वर्ष 1990-91 से 1994-95 तक वर्ष-वार कितनी-कितनी राशि व्यय की गई है;

(ख) उपर्युक्त कार्यक्रमों के लिए देशों और अंतरराष्ट्रीय संस्थाओं से ऋण एवं अनुदान के रूप में प्राप्त राशि का वर्ष-वार ब्यौरा क्या है तथा देश के आतंरिक स्रोतों से धन जुटाने के उपरांत कितनी राशि व्यय की गई;

(ग) केन्द्रीय और विदेशी टीमों ने इन कार्यक्रमों के कार्यान्वयन की राज्य-वार निगरानी एवं मूल्यांकन कब किया था; और

(घ) उपर्युक्त कार्यों पर व्यय की गई राशियों का राज्य-वार ब्यौरा क्या है तथा इन कार्यक्रमों के संबंध में धन के उचित प्रयोग एवं सफलता के लिए क्या-क्या टिप्पणियां की गई हैं?

पर्यावरण और वन मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री राजेश पायलट): (क) से (घ) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सदन के पटल पर प्रस्तुत कर दी जाएगी।

Postal and Telecom services in Haryana

597. SHRI S.S. SURJEWALA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state: